## HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 610 By DuBois

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Jill Curry, 2005 Co-Valedictorian of Zion Christian Academy.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those students who, through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence, have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Jill Curry is one such exceptional student who was recently named Co-Valedictorian of the 2005 graduating class at Zion Christian Academy; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Jill Curry has achieved outstanding academic success and has joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, in her remarkable high school career, Miss Curry has earned an exemplary grade point average and has been named to the National Honor Society; and

WHEREAS, a delegate to Girls' State, Jill Curry also attended the Vanderbilt Program for Talented Youth and participated in Youth Leadership Maury; and

WHEREAS, no stranger to awards or accolades, Miss Curry has achieved Level 4 in the CHA – The Association for Horsemanship Education and Safety, won 1<sup>st</sup> place in 2005 at Columbia State's annual high school piano competition after placing 2<sup>nd</sup> in 2004, and has received the Whitthorne Scholarship; and

WHEREAS, Jill Curry's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for her future success; she plans to attend Vanderbilt University to continue her education; and

WHEREAS, Jill's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for her parents, Dick and Rhonda Curry, her school, and her community; and

WHEREAS, Jill Curry's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED FOURTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, that we hereby commend and honor the 2005 Zion Christian Academy Co-Valedictorian, Jill Curry, on her impressive academic achievement and extend to her our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.

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